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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 7, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification, on page 4, line 18, replace "does" with --do--; on page 5, line 2, after "places a dialog box", insert --, referred to herein as a peripheral option display, --

In the Claims: please amend claims 1, 3 and 5 as follows:

--Claim 1. (AMENDED) A user interface for controlling peripheral devices comprising:

a peripheral option display for presenting peripheral options to a user immediately following selection of the peripheral device from a command bar icon, wherein said peripheral option display includes a peripheral device user interface.

3. (AMENDED) A user interface for controlling peripheral devices comprising:

a peripheral driver which automatically displays peripheral options in a peripheral option display including a peripheral device user interface to a user immediately following